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# AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.  
29757/P-346

Application No.  
09/733,490

Filing Date  
December 8, 2000

Examiner  
Aaron L. Enatsky

Art Unit  
3713

Applicant: Richard E. Rowe

Invention: CASINO GAMBLING SYSTEM WITH BIOMETRIC ACCESS CONTROL

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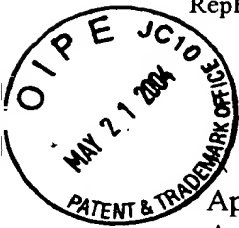
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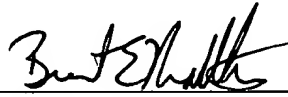
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**RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office action having a mail date of  
November 19, 2003. A Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time is submitted herewith.

Please amend the application and consider the remarks as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of  
this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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